

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) : Edgar Matias, Stephen R. McGowan  
APPLICATION NO. : 10/748,329  
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CASE  
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REPLY AFTER FINAL

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Sir:

This Reply responds to the Final Office Action dated March 21, 2007, the period for response to which has been extended to August 21, 2007, by the accompanying Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time. The claims are not amended in this Reply but are included for the Examiner's convenience.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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